

Sheep or Wolf?



Characters

The wolf, the shepherd and some sheep

Settings

On the grassland; in the street

There was a wolf who was bad at hunting. He was always hungry. Once the shepherd took a flock of sheep to the grassland, the wolf tried hard to catch them. However, the shepherd and her dogs always chased him away.

One day, the wolf got a leaflet on the street.



**Wolf Village
Hunting Club**

Hunting Workshop

Do you want to improve you hunting skills? If you do, join our hunting workshop!

Date: 23rd September (Tuesday)
Time: 7 p.m. – 9 p.m.
Venue: Wolf Village Hunting Club
Fee: \$200 (Enjoy 10% off if you are a wolf!)



To join the workshop, contact Miss Brown at 2883 XXXX.

Guest speaker:
Mr Harvey, professional hunter

The wolf decided to join the workshop. As he was about to make the call, he found an old sheepskin under a tree.

The wolf thought, 'If I put on the old sheepskin, I can eat the sheep easily! I don't have to join the workshop!'

The next day, the wolf dressed himself in the sheepskin. He looked like a real sheep! He saw the shepherd's sheep on the grassland. He walked towards them slowly.

'Hey, the grass over there is fresher! Shall we go there together?' the wolf asked one of the sheep excitedly.

'Take me there, please!' the sheep replied joyfully.

The wolf took the sheep to a quiet place. Then, the wolf took off his sheepskin and caught the sheep!

The wolf put on the sheepskin again. 'Let me catch one more sheep!' he thought.

The 'sheep' went back to the flock of sheep. Suddenly, the shepherd arrived. She looked at all the sheep. She picked up the fattest sheep. In fact, the sheep was the wolf!

'You look so big! I'm sure your meat is very delicious!' the shepherd said to the wolf happily.

The wolf was frightened! 'Help! I don't want to be the shepherd's dinner!' the wolf thought.

a flock of:
a group of
(animals)

professional:
having a
job which
needs special
training and
a high level of
education



Understanding the Fable

Answer the following questions.

1. The wolf was always hungry because _____.
 A. he didn't like eating
 B. he had no money
 C. he was on diet
 D. he was poor at hunting
2. How long is the workshop?
 A. one hour
 B. two hours
 C. three hours
 D. four hours
3. How much would the workshop cost if the wolf joined the workshop?
 A. \$0
 B. \$180
 C. \$200
 D. \$220



4. Put the following events in the correct order. Write A, B, C or D in the boxes.

- A. The wolf put on a sheepskin.
- B. The shepherd arrived.
- C. The wolf caught a sheep.
- D. The shepherd picked a sheep for dinner.

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Pay attention to the actions of the shepherd and the wolf.

5. Which of the following is **NOT** true about the wolf?

- A. The wolf was caught by the shepherd's dogs.
- B. The wolf caught a sheep.
- C. The wolf didn't want to be the shepherd's dinner.
- D. The wolf dressed like a sheep.

6. The shepherd is writing a text message to her friend. Finish the message with only **ONE** word for each blank. Make sure your answers are grammatically correct.

Hi John,

Yesterday, I picked the (i) _____ sheep for dinner. When I caught it, I found that it was not a sheep. It was a (ii) _____ !



Values and Attitudes

7. What can you learn from the story?

- A. Do not wear a sheepskin.
- B. Be a professional hunter.
- C. Do not do evil things.
- D. Sheep meat is delicious.

8. Do you think the wolf is bad? What punishment did he get in the end?

Chapter 1 Sheep or Wolf?

a flock of	(ph.)	一羣 (動物)	in fact	(ph.)	事實上
contact	(v.)	聯絡	professional	(adj.)	專業的
delicious	(adj.)	美味的	sheepskin	(n.)	羊皮
guest speaker	(n.)	嘉賓講者	shepherd	(n.)	牧羊人
improve	(v.)	改善	workshop	(n.)	工作坊

The Moral Lesson

Evil thoughts have evil ends. We should not do evil things.

Albert liked playing tricks on his classmates. He put Tony's science book in the cupboard. He took Wendy's chocolate bar while she was eating it. His classmates were angry with him and decided to give him a lesson. They caught some beetles and put them inside his bag!

Chapter 2 Be Humble Like the Reed

ancient	(adj.)	年代久遠的	reed	(n.)	蘆葦
bend	(v.)	屈曲	slender	(adj.)	纖幼的
defeat	(v.)	打敗	straight	(adv.)	筆直地
humble	(adj.)	謙虛的	survive	(v.)	存活
mutter	(v.)	輕聲地說	swoosh	(n.)	颼颼聲
oak tree	(n.)	橡樹	to and fro	(ph.)	前後搖擺
pride	(n.)	自尊	uproot	(v.)	連根拔起

The Moral Lesson

When we face problems, it is better to be humble and flexible.

Noelle is good at maths. One day, she struggled with a difficult problem in her maths homework. She was too proud to ask for help and unable to complete her homework.

